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## 11th Annual Winter Carnival Starting Friday

### Snow Trains To Bring 2000 Sunday

MURRAY D. VAN WAGONER TO CROWN QUEEN

With the 11th Annual Snow Carnival starting here Friday and continuing to Sunday night, and two "Snow Trains" from Detroit and one from Bay City and Saginaw coming Sunday, and thousands of autos coming by highways, Grayling is destined to be the host to the largest crowd of people that has ever come here for any occasion.

Our wonderful winter park and winter playground have gone over big and now it is only a matter of weather to assure this community a high rank in the realm of winter recreation honors.

The carnival program begins Friday when the big park will be in full operation for the pleasure of those who would enjoy such features as skating, tobogganing, snowshoeing, skiing, etc. In the evening there will be a formal reception honoring Miss Virginia Skingley, queen of the carnival, and her royal court—Yvonne Kraus, Bernita Chappel, Beverly Schaible, Elaine McDonnell, Gertrude Streeter, and Vivian Dawson.

Saturday will be busy with exhibitions of professional ski jumping, skating, etc., and also ice contests for boys and girls and grownups. Also there will be hockey games.

Murray D. VanWagoner To Crown Queen.

Saturday night there will be the formal coronation of the queen and the queen's ball at the school gymnasium. Murray

D. VanWagoner, state highway commissioner will have the honor of placing the crown upon the queen, with appropriate ceremony.

On Sunday there will be a continuation of the program from Saturday. Involuntarily the entire time of the carnival the toboggan slides, skating rinks, and other features will be available for those who desire to use them.

For full particulars please turn to the official program as it appears elsewhere in this paper.

### Detroiters Had Big Time.

Last Sunday two Michigan Central trains brought in many travel bureau excursionists to the number of 1,118. The first train carried 518 passengers and arrived at 1:00 p. m. The second train arrived a half hour later and carried 600 passengers.

The same as was the Sunday before, the crowd was in a happy frame of mind and everyone seemed to be having a great time. The only complaint we have heard is that the time was too short. Most of the crowd would like to remain an hour or two longer.

The crowd of 1118 people were transported to the winter park within a very few minutes, and all were returned in time for the return trip to Detroit. The day was slightly colder than it was the week previous and there were no snow storms that kept the men at the park busy keeping the rinks and toboggan slides clear. The toboggan slides and rinks were ideal and the former

just about as fast as anyone wanted.

It was a great day for the visitors and all were hoping to be able to come again this week.

Mr. Kirby says that the special snow trains were completely sold out for next Sunday and also for February 2nd and 9th. On February 22nd—Washington's birthday, there will be a special train of Pullman cars chartered for a group of Detroit business men.

### Bank Elects Officers and Directors

The annual stockholders' meeting with directors' meeting immediately following, of the Grayling State Savings Bank, were held January 14th, 1936.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were:

Esbern Hanson, President.  
John Bruun, Vice-President and manager.

Hoiger D. Hanson, Vice-President.

Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier & Asst. Secretary.

George Schroeder, Asst. Cashier.

Mr. Fred R. Welsh who has been a member of the Board of Directors since the bank opened its doors for business, January 2nd, 1932 stated that he would be obliged to resign as his time was so completely taken up otherwise that it would not be possible for him to continue as a director of the bank. The resignation was accepted with much regret and the President, Mr. Esbern Hanson, in behalf of the Board thanked Mr. Welsh for the excellent services rendered by him as a director during the past four years. The following directors were then elected for the ensuing year:

Esbern Hanson,  
John Bruun,  
Hoiger D. Hanson,  
A. J. Nelson,  
Winheim Raase.

The president and directors serve in these capacities without compensation. Messrs. T. P. Peterson, Alfred Hanson and Geo. W. Olson were again elected to serve as Auditing Committee for the stockholders during the ensuing year. These gentlemen during the past four years and in behalf of the stockholders have audited the affairs of the bank twice annually. Like the directors, the Auditing Committee receives no compensation for its work and the President at this meeting in behalf of the board extended sincere thanks to the Committee for doing this work and doing it in a thorough and competent manner.

A resolution was passed at the stockholders' meeting complimenting the management for the efficient manner in which the affairs of the bank had been conducted during the past year.

The bank showed net earnings of 18% of the capital stock. No dividend was declared as it was felt the surplus should be added to the capital as a further safeguard for the stockholders and depositors and this policy will be continued until a surplus equal to the capital has been established.

Deposits during the past year had increased \$152,699.44. Commercial deposits had increased from \$160,151.26, January 1st, 1935 to \$265,846.22, January 1st, 1936. During the same period savings deposits increased from \$36,134.25 to \$78,632.90.

During the past year 1,032 loans amounting to \$383,809.86 were made. In the first four years of the bank's existence the total amount of loans made was \$1,073,559.12 of which, January 1st, 1936 \$136,640.20 was outstanding and not any part of this balance was in default as to principal or interest.

Checks handled during the past year amounted to \$5,629,940.28. Of this—amount checks drawn upon the bank itself amounted to \$3,312,664.09, which indicates an active local business. \$2,317,276.19 represents checks drawn on other banks.

### Womans Club

The Club met with Mrs. Edgar Flory Monday evening, with Mrs. Holger Schmidt in the chair. Following the business session, Rev. Flory gave an address on "Womanhood of India." Rev. Flory spent some time in India and was able to give first-hand information on the customs and manners of the Indian women. Poems of India were read by Mrs. Flory which were most interesting.

The next meeting, Monday, Jan. 27, will be held at Michigan Memorial church and an address "The Powers of Personality" will be given by Prof. W. D. Henderson, University of Michigan. This is an open meeting and every one is urged to attend.

### Alpena High Here Fri. Night

Friday night the basketball game that you fans have been waiting for is to be staged at the school gymnasium. Our undefeated Northern Lights tackle Alpena Central out that is out to get revenge for a defeat Grayling handed them earlier in the season. Everyone should remember that game. Alpena took the lead in the first quarter, but the green-clads caught up, passed, and won the ball game, 17-16.

Two years ago when we played Alpena here, the game went into two overtimes before the visitors finally won. Last year Grayling won, 22-20, after one exciting overtime.

The game Friday night promises to be as exciting as any of the previous engagements have been, so, fans, if you want to see two high class teams in action, be present at the school gym, Friday evening.

The Reserves play Houghton Lake in the preliminary at 7:30. Houghton Lake won from the seconds earlier in the season.

A thrilling Foreign Legion story by Percival Christopher Wren, author of "Beau Geste" appears in "This Week," the magazine which Sunday's Detroit News. Don't fail to read it.

### WINTER SPORTS BOOST GRAYLING'S REVENUES

Thousands of visitors, attracted here by winter sports, this year are providing Grayling with a source of revenue which the city never before enjoyed.

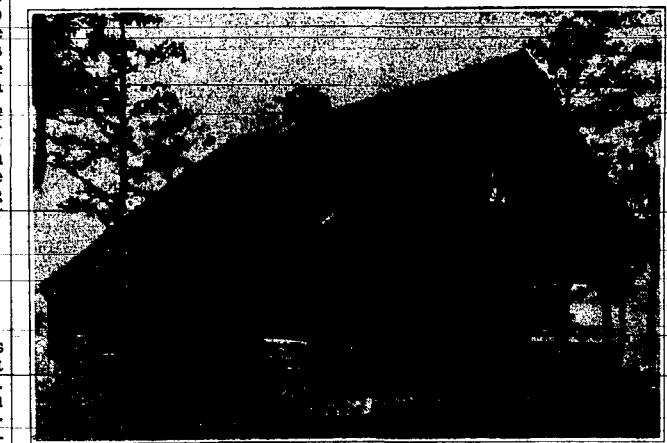
Ski jumps, toboggan slides and ice skating rinks have been built with relief labor during the past two years. A crew of 31 PWA workers is required to keep Winter Sports Park in condition and the men will have steady employment as long as the cold weather lasts.

Week-end "snow trains" to Grayling have been placed in operation by the Michigan Central Railroad and last week approximately 2,000 persons visited the park. Thousands of other persons are making the trip by automobile.

"Until these winter sport facilities were made possible, Grayling had limited sources of revenue during the months after the deer hunting season closed," says Martin Holland, WPA district director.

"Aside from the money brought in by the visitors, the merchants of the town are getting the benefit of the steady income of the WPA workers employed in the park."

Your feathered friends—place a few crusts each morn on their banquet table—they will repay you with a springtime song.



National Log Construction Co.'s Fine New Office Building.

### Nat. Log Construction Co. Shows Marked Progress

How many of us are aware of the facts surrounding one of our rapidly growing Grayling industries, the National Log Construction Company, manufacturers of Air Lock Logs?

First conceived during the year 1932 and based on the theory that a more practical principle could be applied to logs used for building purposes, than found in rough-hewn logs. The boring process was developed, thus removing the heart of the log and eliminating possibility of heart rot and the major portion of the natural checking and cracking that takes place in solid logs.

Following the preliminary stages of development and experimental period the National Log Construction Company was officially organized June 1, 1932. Then following a period of about two years through the low ebb of business recession during which time, under the encouragement of R. A. Wright, highly developed machine processes were perfected for the cutting of a longitudinal tongue and groove which eliminates the old-fashioned method of chinking between the logs. This tongue and groove being the weather strip, cut and fashioned into all Air Lock Logs.

The manufacturing process includes also the making of all special cuts for building corners, partitions, gables and etc., which extensively decreases the amount of hand labor required to build the old type log structure and such cuts being accurately made, assures a tight and weather proof building.

The judgment employed by the founders of this local company has been borne out as reflected in their sales of Air Lock Log buildings during the past two years. It became necessary for them to temporarily suspend selling activities owing to the greater number of buildings sold than their production schedule would permit them to manufacture. It might also be interesting to note that during our interview with Mr. Wright we learned that they have received inquiries from every State in the Union as well as from Alaska, the Philippine Islands and many points in Canada.

As a result of its experience of last summer this company is now increasing its facilities to handle several times the volume of business accomplished during 1935. They have built, an extensive man power organization,

from the production of raw timber in the woods to the actual erecting of the buildings. They now have an average seasonal crew of 35 men cutting timber and putting the logs through the various machine operations at their factory, as well as having more than forty units of trained construction workers located at strategic points throughout Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin for the erection of the Air-Lock Log buildings. In addition, a well organized Service Bureau has as its objective the designing, planning, sketching of floor plans and perspectives in accordance to the desires of their trade. A matter of 30 standard plans are available at this time for your selection.

In addition to a log once and display building erected by them at 1831 Grand River Avenue in Detroit last year, they have recently built a very attractive log once building on U.S. 27 on their mill property north of Grayling. Their once building is open to inspection and the latch string is out to anyone interested in seeing this unique building which has, aside from a large comfortable living room with an attractive stone fireplace, a commodious kitchen and bedroom on the first floor with a complete bathroom between them. The bathroom is an interesting feature of this building in that it is equipped with a shower stall, the water being heated by a coil placed in the fireplace and piped to a hot water storage tank. This same coil serves where desired to service hot water radiators for heating purposes.

From the living room, by means of a light of log stairs you may go up to a mezzanine floor level where you will find two spacious sleeping balconies, one at the front of the building and one at the rear which are connected by a log runway which passes over the center of the living room. These sleeping balconies have been accomplished without detracting from the beauty of the living room in that a studio effect has been maintained and the under side of the main roof forms the ceiling of the living room with the rustic log rafters and log railings on the balconies at either side offering a truly appealing effect. Indirect lighting is the scheme employed throughout the building which creates a subdued light effect that harmonizes with the surrounding logwork. The general heating is provided by a steam plant located in the basement.

### D. And B. Corps First Year Record

#### HAS ACCOMPLISHED MUCH SINCE ORGANIZATION BEGAN

The American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps having passed over its first year since its formation of this organization, the general feeling is that the past year has been very successful considering this corps started without any of its members having any knowledge of music.

Comrade Clarence Joon, before the American Legion the need of a Drum and Bugle Corps and on Dec. 10, 1934 it was decided to lay the foundation for this corps and the instruments were then purchased from C. C. Conn Ltd., Detroit, nearly \$800 being spent in the best instruments to be purchased. At this meeting the first officers to be elected were Pres., Alfred Hanson; vice pres., Clarence Joon; Secy-Treas., Calvin M. Loun; quartermaster, Alvin LeChapelle; drum major, Earl Woods; executive comm., Earl Hewitt; and Urel Levan.

John Paul and Harold McNeven agreed to be instructors for the Corps and the corps was then formed with twenty-five charter members, and has grown from that number to thirty-five members.

It was also at this meeting that a committee was appointed to contact the Village regarding a Home Coming for Grayling, to be sponsored by the Corps, the proceeds to be used to help purchase instruments and uniforms.

On January 2, 1935, the Corps received their instruments and on January 14 Frank Hussey from the Conn Music Co., Detroit, arrived in our city and gave the Corps pointers on how to play and arranged the set-up and formation of a drum corps. The Corps got going and practiced faithfully and their first appearance was made at the Village Caucus held at the courthouse on Feb. 21, a little more than a month from the time it was organized.

The organization made their next appearance in Roscommon, going there to serenade Comrade Jess Green who was opening a beer garden. And then on May 5 at West Branch when they paraded during the Trout Festival.

May 20th the Corps paraded the streets of our own city in the early evening. Thursday evening, May 23, Comrade Frank Hussey from Conn Instrument Co., Ltd., came again and gave the boys some more pointers and ironed out their errors.

Decoration Day our Corps formed in Memorial Parade. This was the first appearance in town of the Drum Corps wearing white duck trousers and shirts with black ties and Legion caps. On June 21 they paraded the city streets again and then on Sunday, June 23, went to Mio for the annual Bass Festival.

Thursday evening, June 27, paraded on Peninsula and Michigan Avenues. Sunday, June 30, went to Gaylord where they led the parade for the annual Bass Festival.

Monday, July 1, went to Roscommon and paraded streets and serenaded Comrade Jess Green when he opened up a new beer tavern and then played for Comrade George Betway at his restaurant.

July 4th, led the parade at Mancelona and the same day went to Charlevoix and headed the parade in their big Independence Day celebration.

On July 14th they opened up Grayling's first Homecoming and on Thursday, July 18, marched in the largest and grandest parade ever held in this city—the "Homecoming Parade."

During the last of July, for five days and nights, Comrade Frank Hussey of Detroit came again to give instructions, and his coming was through the courtesy of Comrade Alfred Hanson. Aug. 2 he requested that the Corps parade the business district, which was done.

Aug. 5, again paraded the business section. Aug. 18, paraded Grayling's business section and played at the Fair Grounds for the Donkey Baseball game.

Aug. 31, paraded business district to entertain Canoe Carnival visitors.

Sept. 3, played in business section, and at "Blackie" Tavern at its opening.

Sept. 10, led the 10th Dist. Legion meeting parade up rectangular ave to Lake street and danced south on U.S. 27 to unique ball.

Sept. 23rd, went to Mt. Pleasant to represent our city and the Walter L. McLanahan Oil Co. at the Oil and Gas Exposition held in that city.

On Oct. 3 the Drum and Bugle Corps held their annual election of officers, the following officers being elected for the ensuing year, 1936: Pres., Clarence Joon; vice pres., Alfred Hanson; Sec. & Treas., Calvin M. Loun; quartermaster, Alvin LeChapelle; drum major, Earl Woods; executive comm., Earl Hewitt; and Urel Levan.

Oct. 31, represented Grayling at the 109th Michigan Potato and Apple Exposition at Gaylord. Paraded there and played at Fair Grounds.

Nov. 11th, held Armistice Day parade and celebration for Vets at American Legion hall.

Dec. 3. Headed the first American Legion parade that Clare ever had, when we attended the 10th Dist. meeting at that city. Jan. 8, 1936, held annual party which was a "stag" affair at the Legion hall. This was a grand finale to a successful year.

In perusing this history of the first year, folks will note that the American Legion Drum & Bugle Corps has had a very active first year. They trust that their efforts have been appreciated by the loyal citizens of Grayling.

This organization, as has been related previously, was derived from a group of ex-service men who had had no experience in music. They struggled through many problems. The instructors, Julius Paul and Harold "Spike" McNeven, come in for a lot of praise and the officers who started the Corps also.

The Corps has held parties, dances, and the Homecoming to raise funds enough to keep going and have paid in full for their instruments. Now the fellows are striving to earn funds for some sort of uniform to turn out in and represent their home city.

We hope the present year will see the American Legion Drum & Bugle Corps grow and that they will be successful in their efforts to raise funds for the new uniforms they are so anxious to secure.

### WETOMACHICK CAMP FIRE NOTES

The Camp Fire Girls in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades voted to have the name "Wetomachick" which means "Friends," as their Camp Fire group name.

On ballots which were prepared by Elizabeth Kraus; the girls voted to have the following officers:

President—Virginia Peterson. Vice-Pres.—Mary Jane Joseph. Secretary—Jane Ann Martin. Treasurer—Elizabeth Kraus. Program Chairman—Carol C.

The following girls have handed in their health charts and have the required 90% Joyce Heath, Mildred Craft, Marguerite LaChapelle and Violet Dailey.

On Friday, January 24th, we are to have our first Council Fire at the home of Mary Jane Joseph at 4:30 o'clock. Each girl is to tell her name and show her symbol and be able to repeat the Woodgatherer's Desire. Honor beads will be awarded.

Elizabeth Kraus, Jayne Keyport, Georgianna Olson and Mrs. Flory hope to have the rank of Firemaker awarded them at the same time the other members are to receive the rank of Woodgatherer.

Mildred Craft, Reporter.

The third party of the Junior Campfire Girls was held on Friday afternoon, Jan. 17, at the Michelson Memorial church. There were seventeen members present. The afternoon was spent in talking over the group name which is to be the "Humming Birds." We also decided on a name for each girl.

A hike was planned for next Saturday.

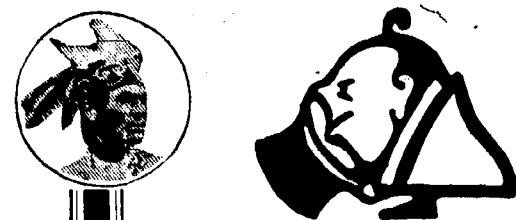
Betty Sparkes.



Virginia Skingley—1936 Carnival Queen.

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### Shoppenagons Cocktail Room



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## Among the Clerks

(By J. Wellington Bumsted)

Ronnow Hanson, register of deeds, is back at his desk once more following a week's illness. He was entertaining a "touch of the flu."

If it so happens that you have old scores to settle with County Clerk Axel Peterson, now is the time to settle them. Usually Axel is able to take pretty good care of himself in a pinch but it so happens that just now he is suffering "losage of the voice" and is scarcely able to speak above a whisper.

The Grayling Laundry has had added to its "personnel" force the services and provoking smile of Lucille Wheeler.

Ask the "Cubs" and the Houghton Lake boys just how good a timekeeper Clara Atkinson is and then just see how quickly "Okay" may be enunciated.

Helen Brady is back in town and it begins to look as though Anne may be back soon. You will remember that last week Anne went to Clare to work and that Helen went along to help her get established and try to find employment so that they might continue with their "siamese" existence. She was unsuccessful and now folk are counting the days until Anne will be among us again. They think it's something like an impossibility that these famous sisters be separated for a very long time. Time alone will tell.

Yellowhammer, Alabama's Bird. Alabama's choice of official bird, the yellowhammer, was also dictated by history. In the Civil war a group of young Alabamians formed a fighting band, struck yellowhammer feathers in their hats and marched away to battle.

## Do You Know—



That more than 3,500 tons of hair has been cut from the heads of American women during the bob era, it is estimated? There are 14,000,000 bobbed heads in the United States and about half this number spend \$15,000,000 a year for waves.

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## Winter Sports Park

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 1936

25c General Admission to non-members  
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Membership tickets must be presented at gate when entering. No admission charge for kids under 15

**Room for More**  
When a man heaves a sigh and says he has done his best, he is usually trying to fool his conscience.

**Oakum**  
Oakum is loose hemp fiber obtained by untwisting old ropes and picking the strands into fiber.

## Political Life of Frank Knox

Active Party Worker and Campaigner Since Spanish War.

In his busy and colorful career as a newspaper editor, soldier and party worker, Frank Knox, candidate of the Illinois Republicans for the nomination for president, has been one of the most widely traveled public men in the country. Not only has he been in every state in the Union, some of them many times, but his interviews with the heads of governments in Europe last year resulted in a series of editorials in his newspapers on the trends of governments at home and abroad which attracted both national and world-wide attention.

He has been a sectional or national figure in every national political campaign for a quarter of a century and in the past two years, in an effort to rouse Americans generally to the dangers he felt were fundamental in the "new deal" policies, Knox has made speeches in more than half the states of the Union. As a result of this task undertaken, for the most part, in answer to specific invitations for his services, he finds himself today projected into the political limelight in an honorable, although personally unsought, manner.

Starting as a precinct party worker in Michigan in 1908, Frank Knox helped nominate and elect Chase Osborn as governor of that state and was state chairman of the state committee in 1910. That fight was made by progressive and liberal Republicans, with Osborn and Knox in the lead, against monopolies that were dominating the state. In 1912, feeling that President Taft had lost his popularity in the state, Knox declined to become Taft's state manager and frankly told Mr. Taft he favored Theodore Roosevelt.

When Theodore Roosevelt became the candidate of the Progressive Party for president, Knox followed him, but at the same time got from Mr. Roosevelt a promise that the Progressive Republican state officers of Michigan should be renominated and only a Progressive electoral ticket placed in the field by the new party in that state. As chairman of the state committee Knox called the state convention to order and was elected its chairman. Thereupon Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana, national chairman of the Roosevelt campaign, to the utter astonishment of Knox, made a speech demanding the nomination of an entire Progressive Party ticket from Governor down to constable. This was wholly contrary to Knox's understanding with Roosevelt, but in a hasty conversation, Dixon insisted he was carrying out orders from Roosevelt given him in Oyster Bay a few days before.

With characteristic honesty, Knox promptly advanced to the rostrum and resigned both as chairman of the convention and as chairman of the state committee. He was followed to his room by party leaders who begged him to accept the nomination for Governor, but he refused. A year and a half later, when Theodore Roosevelt heard the facts he admitted he gave Dixon the orders but added: "Frank, I forgot to except Michigan."

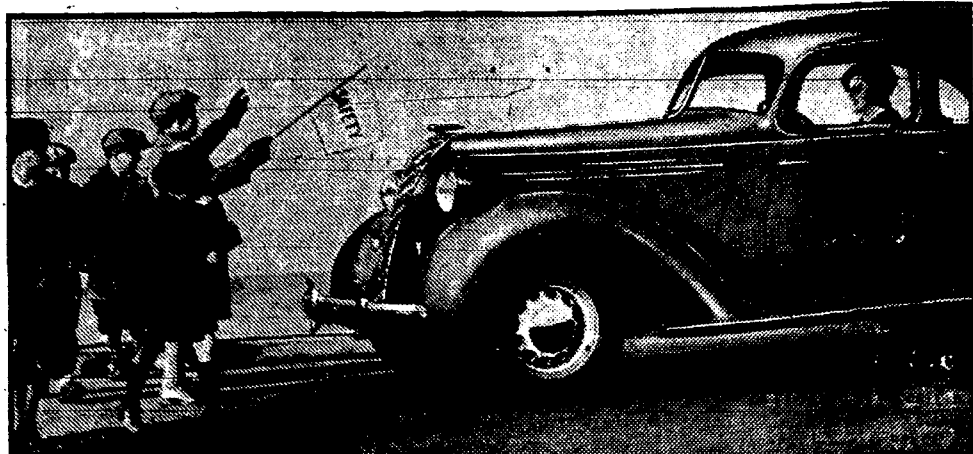
In 1918 Knox campaigned in New England for the election of Charles E. Hughes for president. He had, in the meantime, acquired a newspaper at Manchester, N. H., which he still owns. He did a like party service for Harding and for Coolidge, besides assisting in the nomination and election of numerous governors, senators, members of Congress, state and local officers. In 1912 President Taft made Knox a member of the Board of Indian Commissioners.

As general manager of the Hearst chain of papers in 1928, Knox did not participate in the party politics of that year but his business interests took him into every section of the country. It is noteworthy that Mr. Hearst that year brought his newspapers to the support of the Republican ticket.

In 1931 Frank Knox, in partnership with Theodore T. Ellis of Worcester, Mass., bought The Chicago Daily News. When the panic of 1932 began Knox was national chairman of the drive against the hearing of gold and, as such, visited many sections of the country. He was strongly urged to accept the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee and so presumptory was the demand that, when in Europe in 1934, he had to decline the honor categorically. The same year he entered both the Republican Senatorial and Congressional committees in an advisory capacity and spoke for Republican candidates in Maine, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan and Illinois.

In 1935 Frank Knox has not only a wider personal acquaintance than most public men of the day but, through his wide travels and his newspaper, he is also in the best informed of public opinion in all sections of the country.

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## Mother's Cook Book

PICNIC MEALS

OPEN-AIR meals are in order now until the snow dies. These picnic meals may be of the simplest, but be sure that there is plenty of whatever it is, for there is nothing that encourages appetite like a good long walk and a ride in the fresh air.

The perfect picnic always supposes a fire, where things can be heated or cooked, and there are few Scouts or Campfire Girls who cannot prepare one in a short time. The building of a fireplace to roast the potatoes or corn and boil the water for the frankfurters is an accomplishment that most of the youth of today take as a matter of course.

If the fire is to be made on the beach, a trench is dug to make a fire-box. Then the true sportsman will see that every bit of debris and all embers are buried and buried before leaving the campfire.

One may cook bacon on sticks, threading the slices on green twigs or cook steak in a camp frying pan or on a piece of sheet iron. A few trips will give one a good idea of the things needed and the collection will last for a long time, with care.

One may eat and digest very heavy foods when out of doors, fried potatoes, boiled wieners, or frankfurters cooked in boiling water are so good in bread and butter sandwiches with a slice of mild onion. Eggs scrambled make a nice dish. To roast sweet potatoes one must use the following directions carefully: Wash the potatoes directly and wrap them in green leaves or wet brown paper, then bury them in hot ashes and cover with coals and burning wood. In 45 minutes try them with a sharp stick. As soon as they are soft remove from the wrapping and eat with plenty of butter while piping hot. This same method is used for Irish potatoes.

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The Bushnell Court  
The official ruler state that the bushnell court shall be a rectangular surface, free from obstructions, and shall have maximum dimensions of 94 feet in length and 3 feet in width.

## THROUGH A Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON

"WITHOUT IDEALS THE SOUL DIES"

THAT sounds like the title of a sermon and that is what it was. The sermon dealt with the importance of ideals from a religious viewpoint. And it was from this viewpoint that the minister said: "The soul dies when ideals vanish."

And it occurred to me how true this was from the most practical viewpoint of everyday life. Ideals are regarded as matters almost ephemeral. And yet they are among the most solid, substantial influences in life. If you stop to think about it, wealth may be very transient. Success may be transient. Fame usually is transient. But the principles we set for ourselves, the ideals to which we adhere, if we adhere to them steadily enough, are a rock of refuge in a storm. And the point is that our principles and our ideals are a possession for whose permanence we are dependent on no other person, on no quirk of circumstance, but only upon ourselves.

The older we grow the more we realize that the things which bring us the most satisfaction in life, the solid, substantial, dependable joys, those which stay and grow with the years, are the fundamental interests and pleasures. The love of family and old friends. These are really the things that count. The most exciting and glamorous life will come to mean and mean days without them. Having them, having love and companionship, life may be very full with little of the worldly possessions.

And so holding to our ideals gives a substance to life, a spiritual strength which is really life. And people who understand their importance are very likely to find time late that without them the soul is indeed dead.

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## "My Skin Was Full Of Pimples And Blemishes"

Says Verna Schleppe: "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika washes BOTH bowels, rids you of poisons that cause a bad complexion. Mac & Gidley, druggists.

## Want Ads

LOST—A tire chain between town and the Winter Sports park Sunday, Jan. 19. Please leave at Avalanche office.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Corner Peninsula Ave. and Ionia St. Inquire of Samuel Rasmussen. Phone 73-R.

LOST—Jan. 6, Boy's brown glove. Please give to Mr. Corwin at school house, or leave at this office. Donald Corwin.

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh Route of 800 families. Good profits for hustler. We train and help you. Write today. Rawleigh Co., Dept. MCA-174, SA 2, Freeport, Ill. 1-16-3.

MEN WANTED—To cut 8-foot bolts. Phone 97-F4. Mrs. Henry Stephan.

WE PAY HIGHEST prices for timber—Jackpine, spruce, balsam, tamarack, hemlock, cedar, Norway and white pine pulp or building logs. Will buy on stump or as cut in woods. Pulp delivered in cars at our factory \$5.50 per 4-ft. cord (peeled). Pulp delivered on bank at our factory \$5.15 per 4-ft. cord (peeled). Building logs delivered at our factory up to 3 cents per lineal foot. Communicate with us for contract. Phone Grayling 162. National Log Construction Co. Grayling, Mich.

STOMACH ULCER, GAS PAINS, indigestion victims, why suffer? For quick relief get a free sample of Udgas, a doctor's prescription at Olsen's Central Drug Store. 8-8-35

Ruffed Grouse Rustic Brown  
The ruffed grouse is a rustic brown color with mottlings of black, gray and white. The tail is cross-barred and banded. The male has a characteristic ruff of feathers just in front of the shoulders and a crest.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

at the close of business December 31st, 1935, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

## RESOURCES

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS, VIZ:	Commercial	Savings	Total
a Secured by collateral.....	\$ 54,047.79		
b Unsecured (including endorsed paper).....	\$ 82,592.41		
c Items in transit.....	\$ 4,102.31		
Totals.....	\$140,742.51		\$140,742.51

BONDS AND SECURITIES, VIZ:			
U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed in Office.....	\$ 41,032.76	\$ 9,878.13	
U. S. Government Obligations Direct and Fully Guaranteed Pledged.....	\$ 19,780.00		
Other Bonds and Securities in office.....	\$ 21,905.20		
Totals.....	\$ 81,717.96	\$ 9,878.13	\$ 91,596.09

RESERVES, VIZ:			
Due from Banks in Reserve Cities and Cash on Hand.....	\$ 33,291.94	\$70,000.00	
Totals.....	\$ 33,291.94	\$70,000.00	\$103,291.94

COMBINED ACCOUNTS, VIZ:			
Furniture and Fixtures.....			\$ 1.00
Total.....			\$335,631.54

## LIABILITIES

Common Stock paid in.....	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	\$10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net.....	\$ 6,132.42

COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, VIZ:		
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check.....	\$198,696.33	
Certified Checks.....	\$ 35.00	
Cashier's Checks—Bank Money Orders.....	\$ 1,395.87	
a State Deposits.....	\$ 1,218.39	
b U. S. Government Deposits.....		
c Other Public Funds.....	\$ 15,291.76	
Securities pledged under Sec. 35, for (a) (b) (c).....	\$19,780.00	
Public Funds—No assets pledged.....	\$ 49,117.97	
Total.....	\$365,546.22	\$365,546.22

Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws.....	\$ 71,486.73
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws.....	\$ 7,146.18
Total.....	\$ 78,632.90
Total.....	\$385,631.54

## OFFICERS:

Robert Hanson, President  
John Brown, Vice-President & Manager  
Walter M. Hanson, Vice-President  
Margaret M. Hanson, Cashier  
George Schneider, Asst. Cashier

## DIRECTORS:

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Robert D. Hanson,  
John Brown,  
A. J. Nelson,  
William Rabe



## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, January 23, 1913

The Johannesburg Mfg. Co. combined pleasure with business at the annual stockholders' meeting last week Friday. At about 8:30 a. m. the local stockholders and others from Detroit, Saginaw, and Bay City, together with a few invited friends boarded a special Pullman train, chartered by the company for the occasion, and started for Johannesburg. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanson, N. Michelson, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Michelson, Fred Michelson, Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Mrs. John K. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander, Mrs. Chas. Tromble, Miss Margrethe Hanson, Mrs. Henry Bauman, Miss Minnie Jorgenson, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schumann, all of Grayling; and Mrs. O. S. Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Burden, and H. W. Kanouse, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cornwall, and Chas. W. Kuehl, of Saginaw; James Mulhall, of Owosso; and Miss Kelton and Thomas Carney, of Bay City. The party arrived at Johannesburg at about 10 a. m. and were met at the station by the general secretary, Treasurer-Manager F. L. Michelson, who had arranged to entertain the visitors while in his town.

Mrs. N. P. Olson is spending the week in Saginaw.

Mrs. Peter Davison spent last Friday in Bay City visiting friends.

Miss Julia DeValch, of Frederic, spent a few days this week with Miss Ava McLeod.

The Messrs. Chas. Duford and Clayton—Howard of Standish visited the Messrs. Smith and VanPatten the latter part of last week.

Calvin Smith came home from Detroit Monday and spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.

Miss Magnant entertained the Hek-kai-dek-a club at the home of Mrs. Esbern Olson last Monday evening.

The "Just-Us" club met for the first time this year, last Saturday evening with Mrs. Fred Mutton.

F. H. Ivory returned to Orion Tuesday after a month's visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. Hathaway. Mrs. Ivory expects to remain for a time longer. Mrs. Hathaway is gaining slowly.

James Mulhall, of Owosso, was in Grayling on business last week.

Mrs. Axel Becker, of Johannesburg visited her mother, Mrs. Emma Woodburn last week.

Phil VanPatten is back in his old place at the Model Bakery, assisting in the baking department.

The ladies "Five Hundred" club resumed their Wednesday afternoon meetings this week. This was the first meeting since before the holidays.

Mrs. Bert Hile moved to Michelson last week for the winter. Mr. Hile is filer in the mill at that place.

Frank Ahman's baby boy was taken to Mercy Hospital last Sunday, it having a bad attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Ahman is also at Mercy Hospital.

Members of the married peoples card club were delightfully entertained Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Scott Loader.

Arthur McIntyre returned from Detroit last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Ayers, of

Bay City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Phelps, Jr.

The Sopomore class of Grayling High school enjoyed a sleigh ride to Mortenson's farm home in Beaver Creek last Tuesday afternoon. In spite of it being frosty a jolly time was had by all.

A letter received from Miss Anna Olson, from Los Angeles, Calif., states that she has met several Grayling people there. Among those mentioned were Mr. and Mrs. Hans Schmidt and Mrs. Marie Flagg. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt expect to visit Grayling next summer.

The Danish Young Peoples society elected their new officers for this year at their weekly meeting last Thursday evening. The following were elected: president, Inorwald Peterson; vice-president, Miss Jonanna Hanson; treasurer, Miss Anna Olsson; secretary, Holger Henningsen; library-keeper, Miss Anna Olsson. After election of officers a banquet followed.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock, Rev. Fr. J. J. Kiess performing the ceremony, when Florence Vanasse, of Johannesburg and Joseph Nephew of this city were united in marriage.

Ambrose Meistrup is in Mercy Hospital at Bay City. After an operation he was taken ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Mary Udell is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. C. Ackerman is in Detroit this week, caring for her mother who is quite ill.

Beaver Creek Breezes. (23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Ralph Hanna has been on the sick list for the past week.

Miss Pearl Foland has returned from her visit to her sisters. Miss Lillian Mortenson was the guest of Claire Parker last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benedict, of Grayling and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graves were guests at the Annis home last week.

Alonso Bessie spent Sunday in Grayling.

Jos. Kennedy will join his family in Detroit, on Wednesday. Thos. Masters returned on Thursday last from a stay of several weeks at West Branch.

George Bissonette and family will move to Pinconning Wednesday, where they will make their future home.

Frederic News. (23 Years Ago)

Ed Barber is visiting in Cadillac.

Grandpa and Grandma Lovely visited at Theo. Jendron's this week.

Mrs. T. Jendron returned from the Bay City hospital last week.

Mrs. Shanahan, of Grayling, 23 YEARS GAL 2

visited her sister, Mrs. B. J. Callahan, last Thursday.

Our city phone will be doing business this Wednesday, about 48 having been put in so far.

Elmer Batterson moved to Lewiston this week, where he will hold down the freight station.

W. T. Lewis and wife have gone to St. Petersburg, Florida, to spend their winter vacation. It is presumed they will bring back a young alligator with them.

An amusing thing happened the other day when a person

went into Miss Lewis' store and inquired for glasses. Finding that the kind wanted was special order, further inquiry revealed that they were wanted to be able to see our new street lights.

## Defeat Gaylord and Mancelona

The Northern Lights won a fast and furious game against the Top O' Michigan squad at Gaylord, Tuesday night, by the slim margin of one point. The final score was 15-14 and was the climax of a hard-fought battle.

The game was close and exciting from the time the referee blew the starting whistle until the timekeeper sounded the end of the game.

Both teams started out slow, displayed a tight defense, and as a result the score at the close of the first canto was 3-2, with Grayling leading by one point.

The second period was an entirely different story. Gaylord seemed to call to mind the beating we handed them last year and really settled down to play ball. Grayling, determined to revenge for their tournament defeat last March, also played fast ball, but the Gaylordites outscored them in this period and the score at the half stood: Gaylord, 8; Grayling, 5.

The Snow Show boys took the lead early in the third period by scoring two field goals in quick succession, making the score 9-8. The Top O' Michigan squad, not to be outdone, came back with a counter to again gain the upper hand, 10-9.

Grayling put the ball game in the bag by scoring six points to Gaylord's four in the final stanza. In the last few minutes of the game, Gaylord tallied a free throw to tie the score at 14-14. Dunham immediately put the Emerald Isle-clad team in the lead again by sinking a charity shot. This point proved to be the game, but no one was sure of victory until after a Gaylord player missed a free throw with five seconds to go. The total of free throws missed by both teams was 24. They made seven each.

Last Friday night Grayling defeated Mancelona there. The lead wasn't in danger at any time and the green-clads came out on the top of a 20-9 score. Grayling—15.

Lovely, rf. 1 0 3  
B. Hanson, rf. 0 0 2  
Smock, lf. 1 0 1  
Borchers, c. 0 1 1  
Dunham, c. 0 1 1  
Chalker, (c) rg. 0 2 2  
Brady, lf. 3 0 6  
Total 6 3 15  
Gaylord—14.

Ar. Boyce, rf. 1 1 2  
A. Boyce, rf. 1 0 2  
Simmons, lf. 1 0 2  
Glaser, c. 0 1 1  
Fitzpatrick, rg. 2 1 5  
Benser, (c) lg. 0 1 1  
Total 5 4 14

Grayling—20.  
Lovely, rf. 0 0 3  
Smock, (c) lf. 1 0 2  
B. Hanson, lf. 0 0 0  
Borchers, c. 0 5 5  
Chalker, rg. 3 0 6  
G. Hanson, lg. 1 1 3  
Brady, lf. 0 1 0  
Dunham, lf. 0 0 0  
Total 5 10 20

Mancelona—9.  
Ring, rf. 0 0 0  
Strohm, lf. 1 0 2  
Forserson, lf. 0 1 0  
Smith, (c) c. 0 1 3  
Hardy, rg. 1 1 3  
Wisler, lg. 0 0 0  
Flannery, rg. 0 1 1  
Total 3 3 9

Do You Know—

That geese—so it is claimed—have flown higher than any other bird? They have been seen flying over the Himalayan mountains, at a height of 35,000 feet, or approximately six and one-half miles.

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PAPA KNOWS—

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R. G. Hodgins, formerly superintendent of this camp, has been transferred to Camp Fire Lake as a foreman since the abandon-

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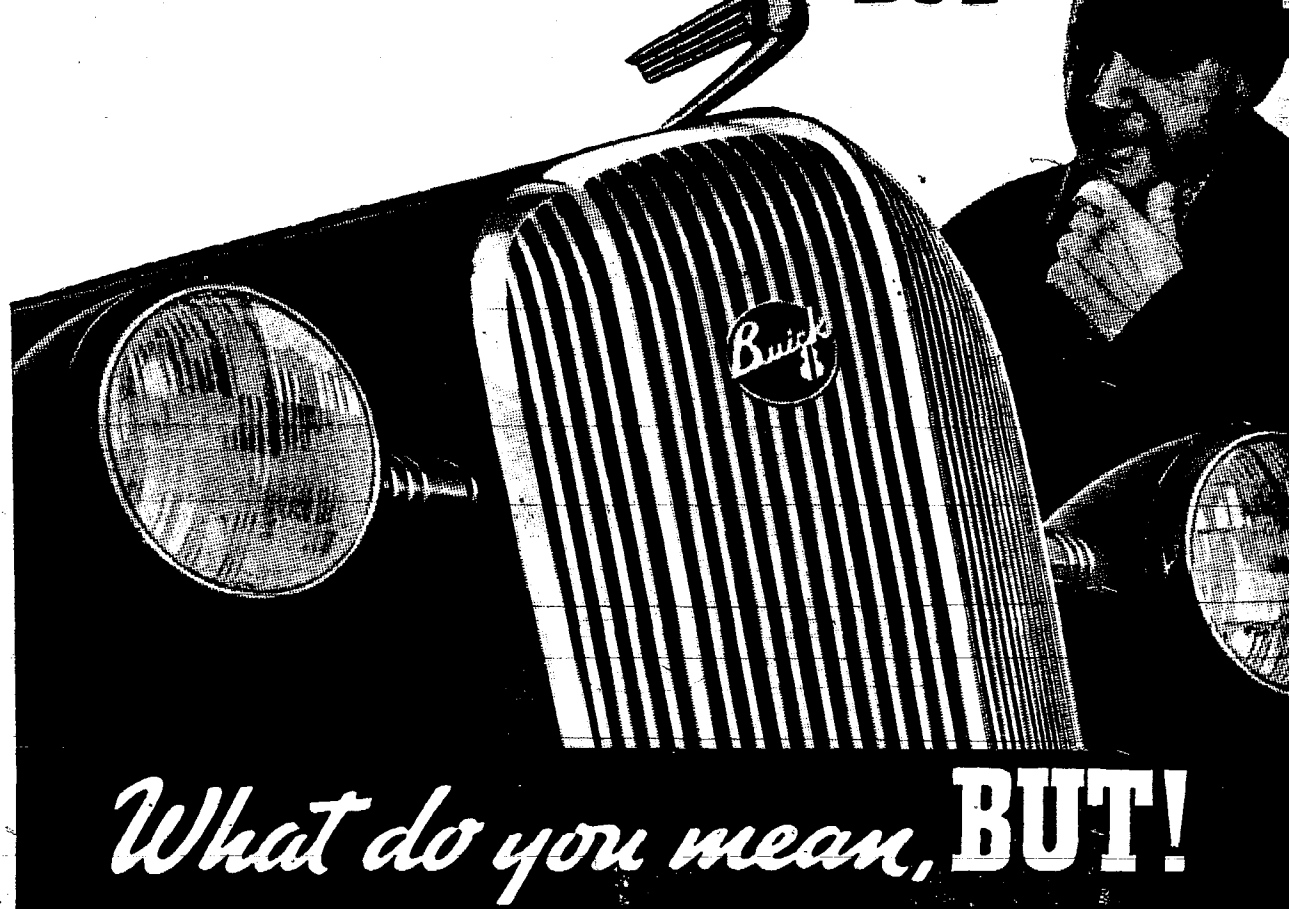
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## "I'D RATHER HAVE A BUICK BUT"



What do you mean, BUT!

WHAT keeps you from driving a Buick—not next year—but now—today?

Is it the money?

Time payments on a Buick are but two or three dollars a week more than on the lowest-priced cars—less than that, when you figure the "extras" a smaller car usually calls for.

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Buick is a big comfortable car that gives small-car gas mileage, small-car mileage on oil. You'll keep a Buick at least a year longer than you'll keep a lesser car—and probably spend less on it for service and repair in the meantime!

Could it be habit?

Maybe you get used to buying in the low-priced field—you get the idea a big car costs too much to run—you resign yourself to small-car comfort, ability, performance—and plain human nature keeps you from inquiring further!

Maybe a Buick is a bit beyond your reach. But let's not admit it until we've got the actual figures!

We'll gamble our time against yours to show you just what a Buick will cost—to buy—to run—to keep in good condition. We've surprised many a small-car owner with our thrifty figures, thrilled them with a demonstration.

Let us show you our arithmetic—and what a Buick can do out on the road.

It won't cost a penny—and it may make you a lot happier—with a Buick!

### IT COSTS LESS NOW TO BUY ON TIME!

The new GMAC 6% TIME PAYMENT PLAN not only makes it easier to figure the cost of buying on time, but saves money that you can use to get a better car. For example, a Buick Special business coupe listing at the factory (safety glass included, standard and special accessory groups extra) at only... \$765\*

\*Subject to change without notice.

## Buick's the Buick

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J. E. Schoonover

GRAYLING, MICH.

### Camp News

#### CAMP HIGGINS LAKE

Dr. M. C. Igloo, who was formerly sub-district surgeon here, has been promoted to captain and is on duty with the CCC in the upper peninsula.

Final examinations for the first aid class instructed by Lieut. G. M. Katzman, are to be held this week. Another class in this subject will be started immediately. It is one of the most popular courses in the educational program.

The total national enrollment of the CCC has been set at 428,000 during the months of January, February and March. There are now 230 work companies and five headquarters companies located in this Corps Area, which comprises the states of Michigan, Illinois, and Wisconsin.

Six enrollees were transferred here from Camp Pioneer to continue their work in the drafting room at Roscommon. They are Lyle Taylor, Dale Griner, Harry Metzger, Charles Barrus, Darwin Rossman, and Charles Guest. The Pioneer camp enrollees were transferred to Camp Hale last week, located between Hale and South Branch, in the Huron National forest.

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### HOT DRINKS FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Why not serve with your breakfast a warm and also nourishing drink for your school children these wintry mornings?

You will find it convenient and easier in making hot cocoa to use a chocolate syrup which can be made and stored in a glass container for use when needed. In this way you will only need to heat the desired quantity of milk in a double boiler and add the chocolate syrup for the flavor you wish. It will save time in not having to measure

and prepare the cocoa and sugar mixture each time you plan to make a cup or more of hot cocoa.

This recipe for chocolate syrup may be helpful to you:

Use one measuring cup of cocoa, add one cup of granulated sugar and mix thoroughly. Add two cups of boiling water, stir and cook until the mixture becomes shiny and thick. Remove from fire, add one half teaspoon vanilla. Keep in covered jar and use as desired. Hot cocoa has many more health-giving properties than such hot drinks as tea and coffee, so is especially recommended for growing children.



EMTA PHOTO

### Speed of Over 150 Miles An Hour

There may be bigger toboggans in the world but we've never heard of them. That was the comment of John Deckrow and Grant Thompson, when they completed "Suicide Sal," a great sixteen foot toboggan now in use at the Grayling winter sports park where the eleventh annual carnival will be held January 24, 25 and 26.

"Suicide Sal" is employed only by the more daring of the toboggan riders. It races down the three chute half mile long slide

at speeds varying from 140 to 180 miles an hour. Regulation toboggans, ranging in length from four to ten feet, attain speeds of well over one hundred miles an hour on the Grayling slide.

"Sal" rides the chute so fast it is necessary to slow her down with sand and sawdust toward the end. Still, she has never known an accident.

The toboggan slide is but one of the many contrivances in use at the Grayling winter capital.

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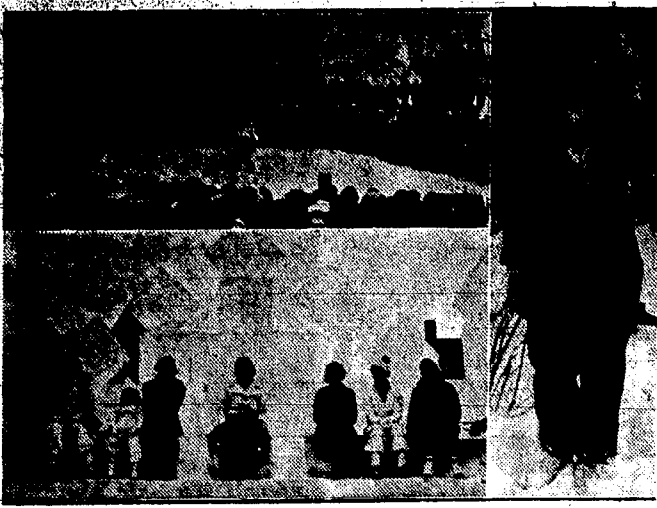
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## Plans Set for Cheboygan Snow Show



Elaborate plans are in the making for Cheboygan's winter carnival January 31-February 1. Above right is shown the 1935 ruler, pretty Queen Elizabeth Muschell. Left are scenes taken on occasion of the 1935 show.

Cheboygan, Mich., Jan. 22.—Twenty-four year old Elizabeth Muschell, school teacher, will rule as queen over the second Cheboygan winter carnival here January 31-February 1.

Brunette Queen Elizabeth is a graduate of Western State Teachers College, is 5 feet five inches in height and weighs 130 pounds.

The court to supplement Queen Elizabeth's activities during the carnival is made up of Mary Davis, Lottie Jankoviak, Veva Brooks, and Nuella Maerly. The traditional Cheboygan prince and princess selected are Miss Beverly Martin and Master John Corlett.

Meanwhile plans for the carnival are going forward rapidly. Activity will center chiefly around the huge skating rink, on one end of which a local ice sculptor has constructed a throne from which the queen will reign.

Cheboygan, Jan. 21.—Cheboygan's second annual Winter Carnival will be held here on January 31 and February 1. The celebration this year is expected to greatly surpass the variety of entertainment provided the thousands of winter sports enthusiasts who attended Cheboygan's first carnival here last year.

Although Cheboygan is just entering its second year of winter celebrations it has forged ahead by leaps and bounds with its entrance into the field of winter sports.

Skating activities during the

carnival will be held on the Municipal Ice Rink which occupies a good sized city block in the very heart of the city. The rink has been equipped with an electric music and announcement system so that announcements of the events are distinctly heard all over the rink. The electric music equipment provides continuous music for general skating and also for the figure skating exhibitions.

Although the Carnival is officially scheduled for January 31 and February 1, it will actually get off to an enjoyable start on the evening of January 30 when the Queen's Ball will be held in the Thompson Gymnasium. The ball will be a semi-formal affair. Coronation of Queen Elizabeth Muschell and Prince John Keale Corlett and Princess Beverly K. Martin as well as the presentation of the young ladies in the Royal Court will occur at the ball.

The Queen's Court includes the Misses Veva Brooks, Nuella Malby, Lottie Jankoviak and Mary Davis.

Hockey games between the Cheboygan Winter Sports Club hockey team and the Petoskey Winter Sports Club hockey team and a Mackinaw-City team will be held on each of the Carnival celebration days.

Figure and speed skating also come in for a good share of the entertainment during the Carnival as will snowshoeing, skiing, and tobogganing on a huge hill just at the edge of the city.

The Committee in charge, under the leadership of General

Chairman Arthur L. Martin, is rounding out a program of activities for each Carnival celebration day that will keep the thousands who are expected to attend entertained in such a manner that the enjoyment of the Winter celebration in Cheboygan will linger in their memories until a succeeding celebration lures them back again.

## Washington Notes And Comments

(By Congressman Roy O. Woodruff)

An old time political field day occurred in the House of Representatives last week when the Independent Offices Appropriation Bill was under consideration. One of the items in the bill was an appropriation for the Reciprocal Trade Agreement

activities, and this particular item aroused the ire and the violent opposition of the Republican minority.

I addressed myself to this issue, pointing out the shocking injury done to American agriculture and the vast increase of agricultural commodities being imported to compete with our own products, which our own people should, of course, be permitted to produce.

I called attention to what happened in the case of butter a year ago, when during the first two months and a half of 1935, more than 23,000,000 pounds were brought in, thereby breaking the market for the American farmer and reducing his price far below the cost of production.

I directed attention also to the fact that at this time there is another avalanche of butter on its way here from various countries of the world, and that history would repeat itself this year to the depression of the price of this valuable food commodity far below the cost of production to the American farmer.

The members of the Democratic Party have always insisted that the Republican Party does not believe in permitting foreign products to come into this country. They have been so persistent in this opinion that the public generally have been led to believe that our tariff rates have been so high as to exclude in a very large degree the products of the foreign producer.

It is no doubt, will be surprising to many people to know that for many years approximately 66 per cent of all importations coming into this country have been brought in on the free list without payment of any duty whatsoever. All this has occurred under Republican tariff laws. The commodities import-

ed on the free list, however, were very largely commodities which are not produced in this country. In this connection it ought not to be forgotten that whenever the present Administration, or any Administration, reduces the tariff on foreign commodities, they are doing so at the expense of the American producer.

No change is made in the free list by this Administration under the Reciprocal Trade Agreement Act.

"Through our willingness to let foreign products which are not in competition with our own products come into this country free of duty (and these importations over the years have amounted to many billions of dollars) we have indicated that we believe in the spirit of the 'good neighbor' but we do not believe in this doctrine to the extent that we are willing to give the world, in addition to the markets they now have through our free list, a free market also for the things which we produce in this country."

(I concluded my remarks as follows):

In other words, Mr. Chairman, we believe that the American farmer, the American working man, and the American manufacturer is entitled to have the American market to himself so long as he is willing to deliver the products of his labor and his investment to the American people at a fair price.

Wrapped up in every package brought into this country is hours and days of human labor. Every thing we buy, regardless of what it may be, represents in some degree the result of human toil and human employment—wages, opportunities for men to supply the necessities of life for themselves and their families.

Why is it, Mr. Chairman, that in times like these, with 13,000,000 persons in this country still unemployed, that we continue to drop our tariff walls and import into this country foreign products in competition with the American products which, when they appear on the shelves of American stores and are disposed of to our people, rob the American working man and the American farmer of their right to produce those things for his fellow citizens?

Just why is it that this is done, Mr. Chairman? Why is it that we persist in a policy of reducing American production in all lines of industry, including the agricultural industry, denying to our own people the right to produce those things, and then, by such methods as I am discussing, invite into this market commodities of like character?

I hope, Mr. Chairman, that the time is not far distant when the courts will have an opportunity to pass upon the validity of this iniquitous Reciprocal Trade Agreement Act. Section 2 of the Constitution states: "The Congress shall have the power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts, and excises." The court of last resort in this country has, within the past few months, ruled as invalid a number of legislative enactments of the New Deal. In view of these decisions and others in years gone by, it is perfectly clear that this Trade Agreement Act does create violence, both in letter and spirit, to the Constitution of the United States than any other act recently declared invalid by the Court. I prophesy, Mr. Chairman, that the next election will produce a most emphatic answer to the New Deal majority and that the American people will in no uncertain way register their demand for an immediate return to fundamental Americanism.

I ask unanimous consent to extend my remarks in the Record by printing a portion of a table showing the imports into this country for the last ten years. I call the attention of the House to these figures and suggest to our Democratic friends that in the future in discussing this matter they, at least in part, cling to the facts.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, in favor of Grayling Box Company, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Mrs. A. R. Welch (Mary E. Welch), I did, on the 21st day of January A. D. 1936 levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Mrs. A. R. Welch (Mary E. Welch) in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to wit: All that certain piece and parcel of land situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, known and described as Lot one of Shaws Park, according to the recorded plat thereof.

All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, as the law directs, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford State of Michigan, is held) on Saturday the seventh day of March A. D. 1936 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Frank Bennett, Sheriff.  
Merle F. Nellist,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.  
Dated January 21, 1936. 1-23-6

Bacteria Extremely Hardy  
Some kinds of bacteria are extremely hardy. They have been found to thrive in and actually consume as food that very powerful germicide and chemical poison—carbolic acid, writes Marion Strickland, Longmont, Colo., in *Collier's Weekly*.

## DEPT. OF STATE

STATE NEWS BULLETIN

### Fewer Drivers Mislay Licenses

There are two ways to lose operators' licenses in Michigan—just as there are in all other states having operators' license laws. One is to have your license revoked or suspended by order of a court or other competent authority, but the commonest method is merely to mislay it.

With the current public attention on safety, revocation and suspension of licenses are on the increase in Michigan, but it is worthy of noting that the percentage of licensed drivers who lose their licenses by pure absent-mindedness or accident, is getting smaller all the time.

During the first ten months of 1934, when a total of 443,228 applications for operators' licenses were granted, 13,420 persons who had lost their licenses, applied for duplicates to replace their losses. It meant that for every 1,000 new applications, 30 applications for duplicates were received. In the first 10 months of 1935, when successful applications for licenses jumped to 606,747, an increase of nearly 37 percent, the number of duplicates issued was only 15,036, which meant that for every 1,000 new licenses, applications for only 24 duplicates were being received.

License applications jumped nearly 37 percent; applications for duplicate licenses increased only about 20 percent.

The percentage of chauffeurs (including all drivers of commercial motor vehicles) who mislay their licenses, is negligible.

### LOVELLS

George Brand and son, of Detroit, are enjoying a few days at their cabin on Lake Shoopack.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Papenfus spent Sunday with Mrs. Lola Papenfus.

Quite a number of Lovells folks went to Frederic last Friday evening to the basketball game and dance.

Miss Edna Small, who attends school in Frederic, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duby.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith of Saginaw spent the week end at their lodge.

Johnnie Selley had his face burned as a result of pouring kerosene on live coals.

Mrs. Edgar Douglas and Lovells Monnie Nephew are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Ted Small has returned home after visiting her mother in Frederic.

Russell Barden of Boyne City was a caller in Lovells Monday.

### WHISPERING PINES NOTES

Miss Thelma Chappel, who was ill with a bad cold, was able to teach school again this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller are rejoicing over a little daughter who arrived last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Skingley entertained several relatives and friends last Sunday afternoon and evening at a chicken dinner and radio entertainment. An old-time popcorn popSE.

Mrs. Herbert Pruehs and Mrs. Nettie Stephan returned from Detroit last Tuesday after a brief stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rockefeller of Higgins Lake, were visitors at Whispering Pines last Sunday.

Quite a few of the children at Love's school are absent this week because of bad colds and deep snow.

That the Constitution, the most famous vessel in the history of the United States navy, earned her popular nickname, "Old Ironsides," from the hardness of her planking and timbers? Built at Boston and launched October 21, 1797, her most famous battle was the defeat of the English frigate Guerriere, August 19, 1812.

Pictureque Heron  
The great blue heron stands as high as the American egret, is bluish gray, and the short, hump-shouldered, black-crowned night heron presents a gray, black and white plumage. Herons are mistaken for cranes. Herons always carry their necks in kinks; cranes carry theirs straight. Another is the highly decorative little Anthony green heron.

Gale, Storm, Hurricane  
In steamship terminology a gale, a storm and a hurricane are not the same thing. A gale blows 40 miles, a storm 70 miles and a hurricane 80 miles an hour.

## MICKIE SAYS—

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Description of Land: STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Crawford.

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Amount necessary to redeem, plus the fees of the Sheriff.

North Michigan Land and Oil Corporation, Assignee of Henry A. Bauman.

Place of business, Grayling, Michigan.

To Mary A. Jackson, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

1-23-4

NOTICE OF SALE FOR STORAGE CHARGES

Notice is Hereby Given, That sale of the following, to-wit:

One (1) Plymouth gasoline locomotive, will be made on the 30th day of January, 1936, at ten o'clock A. M., at the engine house of the Michigan Central Railroad Company, at Grayling, Michigan; that charges against said property are as follows: storage to date of sale \$50.00, costs of advertising, posting notices, etc., and that the property hereinbefore mentioned is the property of the Northern Salvage Company, a copartnership, composed of Harry F. Helper and Harold G. Jarmin. Dated: December 16, 1935.

Louis E. Berry, Attorney for Michigan Central Railroad Company. Business Address: Masonic Temple Building, Cheboygan, Michigan. 1-2-4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the 8th day of February, 1927, made by Ray S. Bamford, Trustee, of Bay City, Michigan, mortgagor, to the Bay City Bank a corporation of the same place, mortgagee, on which there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice for unpaid principal and unpaid interest the sum of \$13,606.42.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described therein at public auction to the highest bidder at the front south door of the Courthouse in the City of Bay City in Bay County, Michigan, on Monday, the 13th day of April, 1936, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

That part of said premises that is situated in Crawford County are described as follows: West One-Half (W 1/2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of Section Twenty-One (21), Town Twenty-Five (25) North, Range Three (3) West, being in the Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan.

Said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County on the 21st day of April, 1927, in Liber 1 of Mortgages on pages 420, 421, and 422.

Dated: This 3rd day of January, 1936.

BAY CITY BANK, Mortgagee. Leibbrand & Leibbrand, Attorneys for Mortgagee. Business Address: 414 Shearer Bldg. Bay City, Mich. 1-12-36

## Notice

The office of the National Re-employment Service at the Grayling Courthouse, of which Mr. Earl J. Hewitt was manager, has been discontinued and this country will now be serviced from the West Branch office.

Mr. Robert Vogan, Branch Manager, West Branch, announces that he will have a representative at the Grayling courthouse every other Monday forenoon from 9:00 to 12:00 noon, starting January 27th.

### Government-Paid Ministers

In the early days of Virginia ministers of the Church of England were paid by the government.

### MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William H. Mosher and Hattie B. Mosher, husband and wife to William Lenartz and Freda Lenartz dated the 21st day of February A. D. 1925, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 21st day of February A. D. 1925 in Liber 1 of mortgages, on page 501 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of three hundred fifteen and 34/100 dollars, and an attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 8th day of February, A. D. 1936, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit:

Lot one of block eight of Hadley's Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, now City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

William Lenartz and Freda Lenartz, Mortgagees.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagees, Grayling, Michigan. 11-14-13

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GEORGE SORENSON Judge of Probate

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## NEWS BRIEFS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1936

Carl Johnson is driving a new Olds 8-touring coupe, purchased from Ben Jerome Motor Sales, Pontiac.

Riley Manier, of Gaylord, has purchased a new Ford Standard Tudor Sedan from Burke's garage.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jensen of South Branch are proud of the arrival of a son, on Jan. 21st. He weighed 8½ pounds.

Alfred Hanson returned to his place of business Monday after being detained at home for several days with a bad cold.

Mrs. Robert Ziebell received slight injuries from a bad fall when she slipped as she was cleaning the floor at her home.

Because there is at least one case of scarlet fever at the camp hospital, Camp Higgins, Co. 672 is temporarily under quarantine.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith are being congratulated upon the birth of a son, Ellsworth Elton, born Monday evening, January 20. The new heir weighed 7 pounds.

Helen Wallace, of Frederic, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Wallace, is a patient at Mercy Hospital suffering from a broken leg which she received while coasting down hill.

Jack VanCoevinger of Detroit, who edits the Free Press Fields and Streams page, was a caller in Grayling Friday. He was visiting the fish hatcheries in this section of the state.

Laura Horning (Jewell) of Maple Forest, who is now staying with Mrs. H. A. MacMillan at Fowlerville, Mich., sang over the radio with her class in Lansing on Jan. 18th.

Mrs. E. D. Wright and Mrs. Otto Seidel and a party of eight friends came on the snow train Sunday and joined by Mrs. E. F. Jewell of Maple Forest, spent the day visiting at the Jerry Sherman home and at the winter sports park.

Instead of "bringing home the bacon" Jack Perry, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Perry, brought home a small roasting pig which he won at the St. Mary's party at Burke's Garage. Jack, who is 11 years old, is still just a little bit dazed over his good fortune. The pig weighed about 25 pounds.

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THE BEER IN THE GREEN BOTTLE

Dr. and Mrs. John T. Sample, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brady and John D. McDonald of Saginaw spent Sunday at Dan Babbitt's on the AuSable. The party enjoyed the winter sports and declared it great fun. Mr. McDonald is a member of the editorial staff of the Saginaw Times.

## Personals

Howard Stephan, of Flint, is visiting ... Dan Stephan.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson left Monday night for Detroit to spend a few days.

Rev. Valler, of Alpena, was in town Monday evening calling on old friends.

William Misner, accompanied by Adolph Peterson, made a business trip to Traverse City, Sunday.

Waldemar Hanson left Friday for Saginaw, to visit his brother, Holger A. Hanson, and to search for employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bissonette and son Edward, of Flint, were visitors at the Ernest Bissonette home over the week end.

The time of the skating contests has been changed to 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, instead of 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Lowell Schaeffer, who is now located at Petoskey, spent the week end here visiting Kenneth Gothro and other friends.

Mrs. James Bugby, Miss Eva Swanson and Mrs. Stewart Rutledge of Roscommon, made a business trip to Bay City, Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Scott is anticipating a visit over the carnival week end from her sister, Miss Martha Thorington, and a friend, of Durand.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell enjoyed a week end visit from the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cornell, of Mancelona.

Miss Marvel Perry, of Detroit, visited Sunday at the home of James Perry enroute on the snow train to Cheboygan to visit at her home.

Pearl H. Smith, educational director at CCC Camp Hartwick, was transferred to Camp Saginaw, Bay City, at the close of the former camp.

Mrs. Lipman Landsberg of Inkster is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Montour this week. She came on the snow train Sunday.

Arthur Ostrander, who is residing on his farm at Clarksville, is visiting relatives here this week and looking after some business interests here.

It was W. W. Knight Jr., of Detroit that spent the week end at Camp Swastika instead of William Kneff. He was accompanied by a party of five.

Miss LaVerne Eastman and a party of Detroit friends enjoyed the snow train trip Sunday, and the thrills of the toboggan slide at the Winter Sports park.

Mrs. Paul Schroeder was hostess Saturday evening to twelve members of her pinocle club. After a very pleasant evening a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvers and family returned Saturday from a visit of several days at Grand Rapids, with Mrs. McEvers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bloetcher and family, of Detroit, took advantage of the snow train special and spent Sunday visiting friends and enjoying the winter sports.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tubbs returned last Saturday to their home in Lansing. Mr. Tubbs was an enrollee of Camp Hartwick Pines until it was discontinued last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Temple enjoyed a visit Sunday from Miss Marian MacKenzie, of Detroit. Miss MacKenzie came on the snow train and was delighted with the winter sports park.

Guests Sunday and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Church were Mrs. Church's mother, Mrs. E. U. Carpenter, and brother, Wayne, Jack Quay, Miss Rose Sable and Junior Kelly, all of Detroit.

Elmer Neal, of Detroit, spent the week end with his wife at Camp Wa-Wa-Sum and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Neal. He was accompanied by Clyde Doremire who visited with relatives also.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert entertained Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wickling and Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas of Detroit last Sunday, who came via the snow train, and were delighted with the winter sports.

Mrs. Frank Beach entertained her Contract club at luncheon Wednesday afternoon. Sweet-peas made a colorful decoration for the luncheon table. Mrs. Frank Bond held the high score for bridge.

Mrs. Clara McLeod celebrated her birthday anniversary Sunday and on the evening previous a few of her neighbors dropped in to spend the evening. They presented her with a beautiful bouquet of flowers and at lunch time a lovely birthday cake graced the table. The game of Hearts was enjoyed for pastime.

The Albert Pochelon family were back again last week end from Detroit for the winter sports.

Harry Cook and a party of friends of Detroit were in Grayling Sunday enjoying the winter sports.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Adolph Peterson entertained Queen Virginia Skingley and her court and few of her neighbors dropped lunch. Later in the evening the party drove out to the winter sports park and completed an evening of fun and hilarity.

Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson enjoyed a visit Sunday and Monday from their son, Benton Jorgenson, daughter Betty Jane and son Walmer, of Detroit. They came up on the snow train but remained to visit until the next day.

Lawrence McDonnell, who is employed in Detroit, came on the snow train Sunday and spent the afternoon visiting with his parents, Postmaster and Mrs. James McDonnell. Lawrence says it was an unusually interesting trip on the train with everyone in a festive mood.

Mrs. Elmer VanNatter entertained the L.N.L. at their social meeting at her home Wednesday evening, of last week. Pinocle and pedro were played with the high scores being held by Mr. and Mrs. Luther Herrick and low scores by Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser and Mrs. Isadore Vallad. The committee served a delicious lunch.

Mrs. A. R. Tyler and son Gordon, of Honolulu, Hawaii, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nikolai Schlotz, coming from Detroit Sunday on the snow train. They will also visit at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnett. Mrs. Tyler was formerly Bertha Woodburn and made her home in Grayling for many years.

The nurses of Mercy Hospital entertained at a pinocle and pedro party Wednesday evening, at the hospital. In spite of the near-zero weather there was a very good turnout. After a very pleasant evening lunch was served. Prizes for pinocle were won by Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and Clifford Malloy and the pedro prize was won by Miss Hazel Hunter. Lawrence Hunter was the lucky winner of the door prize.

Arriving Saturday to spend the Carnival week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely will be Mrs. Lovely's sister, Mrs. Walter Freuchtel and husband, and daughter Carman, and Ray Gutka of Saginaw; her brother, Louis LaVictoire and wife, her sister, Miss Ruth LaVictoire, and brothers Archie and Cyril LaVictoire, and Erwin Marin and the Misses Edith and Mabel Bauton, all of Bay City.

## Mermaids Are Mythical

Beings; Basis for Idea

Mermaids are mythical beings of the sea supposed to have the form of a woman above the waist and that of a fish below. According to mythology, mermaids had great personal charms with which they lured men to destruction in the deep. There is a slight physical basis for the myth. Some marine animals resemble human beings when seen at a distance in certain attitudes. In some northern countries seals have a way of lifting their heads from the water with a human, intelligent look in their faces, and they hug their young to their bosoms much as a human mother does.

When Henry Hudson was on a voyage between Spitzbergen and Nova Zembla in 1609, he reported that one morning in June two of his sailors saw a mermaid who came close to the side of the vessel, and gazed at them intently. Her face and breasts were those of a woman, but below she was a fish as big as a halibut and colored like a speckled halibut. If the two sailors were not telling a yarn it is probable that they saw a seal, an animal then little known to Europeans. A few years later Capt. Richard Whitborne reported seeing a mermaid in St. John's harbor on the coast of Newfoundland. Whitborne, like Hudson's sailors, was no doubt the victim of careless observation. Walrusen seen dimly at a distance often appear like mermaids.—Indianapolis News.

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## South Side Locals

Mrs. Helen Deckert of Detroit spent the week end visiting here.

Mrs. Albert Charron was dismissed from Mercy Hospital, Saturday, and is convalescing at her home.

Miss Lucille Larson has as her guest this week Miss Marie Sprague, of Bay City, who will remain for over the Snow Carnival.

Arriving for the Carnival week end and to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beckman, will be Mrs. Elmer Gamble, son Arnold and daughters Elsie, Ruth and Florence, of Jackson.

Peter Bogus, who had spent the summer at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Bielski, returned Sunday to his home at Detroit.

Coming up on the snow train to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bielski were the latter's sisters, Mrs. Anna Wolfe and Miss Frances Wakowski, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Failing and daughter Joanne, and the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Hummel, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Jensen down the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman LaVack are happy over the arrival of a daughter, Monday, Jan. 20. The young lady will be known as Janis Eden. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.

Guests, Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Benware were the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Overmyer, and brother, Harry Kile, of Roscommon.

Miss Minnie Benson returned, Wednesday of last week, from Ann Arbor where she had been undergoing medical treatment. She is getting along very nicely but she is to report at the hospital at the end of three months for a diagnosis.

Miss Mary Harrison, who has been employed in Detroit for some time, has returned home for an indefinite stay. She has as her guest Mrs. Agnes Blondell and son Dennis, of Detroit. Al Dowling, of Carp Lake, was also a guest at the Harrison home over the week end.

Albert Schrieber of Flint visited at his home here over the week end and on his return he was accompanied by Mrs. Schrieber, son Calvin and daughter Anna Marie, who are spending the week there. Miss Beatrice is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber Jr., while they are away.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Joan, Mrs. Willard Harwood entertained a number of her little friends Wednesday of last week. Games were enjoyed and a nice lunch was served. Joan received many lovely gifts. Those present were Donna Carlson, Joyce Barber, Clara Jane Lazorowich, Ruth Beck, and Jean and Barbara Clough.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beck are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Beck's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McKenna, of Detroit, who arrived yesterday morning.

**Pets Not Incubators**  
Fleas do not breed on the dog or cat, but in places they frequent.

**Massachusetts' Gallows Hill**  
Gallows Hill is the name given to a hill in the neighborhood of Salem, Mass. On it during the witchcraft mania of 1692 a number of victims were hanged as witches. It is also called Witch Hill.

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IDEAL FLOUR, 24½ lb. sack . . . . .71c  
CLEAN EASY SOAP, yellow naphtha, 10 bars 35c  
WHITE HOUSE COFFEE, 3 lbs. 62c; 1 lb. . .21c  
CIRCLE W COFFEE, lb. . . . .15c  
SUGAR, lb. . . . .5c  
ARMOURS MILK, very best, can . . . . .7c  
MATCHES, 6 boxes . . . . .22c  
SARDINES IN OIL, 6 cans . . . . .25c  
MACARONI, bulk, 3 lbs. . . . .20c  
PEAS, No. 2 can . . . . .7c  
HEINZ SOUP, 2 cans . . . . .25c  
PEANUT BUTTER, 2 lb. jar . . . . .25c  
SODA CRACKERS, 2 lbs. . . . .17c  
BULK GREEN TEA, lb. . . . .23c  
SALADA TEA, blue label, ½ lb. . . . .37c  
EGGS, strictly fresh, doz. . . . .27c  
PICNIC HAMS, smoked, lb. . . . .21c  
BACON SQUARES, lb. . . . .20c  
SILVER BAR PEACHES, No. 2½ can . . . .14c  
LIBBY'S SALMON, can . . . . .20c

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